

PARENT GUIDE

Year 1- Week 1

God's Law

What We Covered

Take Away Point: God's Law Shows Me How to Love and How Much I Need a Savior

Key Verse: "Your word is a lamp for my feet, a light on my path." Psalm 119:105

Why We Talked About It

God's law is often seen as an oppressive topic and shows God's justice, though we showed the students that God's law is made to help God's people live as we were designed. God's law also shows us our need for Jesus and how, by our own will, we can do nothing good. Jesus is the only answer. When the weight of our sins is heavy, we release that weight, knowing Jesus has already carried the burden. Because of what Jesus did, we now get to share that love and grace with others.

What You Can Do

Read and Discuss:

- Read Matthew 22:37–40
- Why did Jesus say these two commandments?
- How are these two commandments a simplified list of all 10?
- How does Jesus light shine through the law?
- How can you love like Jesus did?

Challenge check-in: Love like Jesus

Memory Verse: Psalm 119:105

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Watch Together

Watch BibleProject's "[The Purpose of the Old Testament's Law of Moses in the Bible](#)" (YouTube or BibleProject.com)

Discuss: What does it look like to let the law push us closer to Jesus?